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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

GREAT EASTERN AND CALEDONIAN GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.
SOME SHAREHOLDERS not having applied for the PREFERENCE SHARES to which they are entitled, the Surplus will be distributed to the Shareholders in proportion to the number of Shares held by them, if applied for on or before 17th instant, Hongkong, 10th May, 1899. [1309]

TO LET.
FURNISHED ROOMS or Part of Fine House on higher level. Board if required. TENNIS. "X. Y. Z." Address: Care of Office of this Paper. Hongkong, 10th May, 1899. [1308]

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR SHANGHAI.
The Company's Steamship.
"WHAMPOA."
Captain Saito, will be despatched as above TO-DAY, the 10th instant.
For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 9th May, 1899. [1306]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND TAMSUI.
The Company's Steamship.
"HAINAN."
Captain Milroy, will be despatched for the above ports TO-MORROW, the 11th inst., at 10 A.M., instead of as previously advertised.
For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPELLE & CO., Managers. Hongkong, 9th May, 1899. [1307]

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR MANILA.
The Company's Steamship.
"CHINGFU."
Captain Dodd, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 12th inst.
The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First Class Saloon is situated forward of the Engines.
A fully qualified Surgeon is carried and the Vessel is fitted throughout with Electric Light.
For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 9th May, 1899. [1302]

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR MANILA.
The Company's Steamship.
"CHANGSHA."
Captain Moore, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 15th inst., at 3 P.M.
The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First Class Saloon is situated forward of the Engines.
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CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
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AUCTION

PUBLIC AUCTION.
The Underigned will Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at his Sales Rooms, Zealand Street, No. 2, on SATURDAY, the 13th May, 1899, Commencing at 2.30 P.M., a large quantity of HOUSEHOLD AND OFFICE FURNITURE, of every description, Belonging to Gentlemen leaving the Colony. For full Particulars see Catalogue, which can be obtained from the Underigned. Terms of Sale.—Cash on delivery. On View at the Underigned's from MONDAY, 8th inst. PAUL BREWITT, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 8th May, 1899. [1292]

NOTICES OF FIRMS
NOTICE.
I BEG to inform the Public, that I have this Day admitted Mr. MA PAI-NIN as Partner of this Firm.
RHOE ACHING, Managing Partner, RICCI & CO. Hongkong, 8th May, 1899. [1294]

NOTICE.
I HAVE This Day taken Charge of the ITALIAN CONSULATE. The Office is transferred to QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, entrance 1, Duddell Street, to 4 P.M. from 10 to 12 A.M. and from 2 to 4 P.M.
Z. VOLPICELLI, Consul for Italy. Hongkong, 8th May, 1899. [1289]

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.
I HAVE This Day handed over Charge of the KOWLOON CUSTOMS to Mr. H. W. BRAZIER, Acting Deputy Commissioner.
H. M. MILLER, Commissioner of Customs. Hongkong, 8th May, 1899. [1303]

WANTED.
I HAVE This Day Assumed Charge of the KOWLOON CUSTOMS AND STATION. H. W. BRAZIER, Acting Deputy Commissioner in Charge, Custom House. Kowloon, 3rd May, 1899. [1303]

WANTED.
ENGAGEMENT for half a day's work daily, by a PORTUGUESE assistant with 13 years experience in Booking Correspondence, Shipping, Insurance and General Office work.
Good References, apply to P. Care of this Paper. Hongkong, 9th May, 1899. [1297]

WANTED.
IMMEDIATELY, a young man, English speaking, with 10 years experience in Shipping and Engineering, good Salary.
Apply by letter to "S" Office of this Paper. Hongkong, 9th May, 1899. [1294]

WANTED.
BY an AGENCY FIRM at HAMBURG with the connections of First Class Firms, who can give references, the REPRESENTATION of good China Houses for HAMBURG, specially for the Import. Conditions: 3 per cent. commission (including delivery), 75 per cent. drawing on consignments; 6 per cent. interest and indemnification of all expenses.
Address: "H. N. 710" Care of Rudolf Mosse, Hamburg, Germany. Hongkong, 9th May, 1899. [1295]

WANTED.
CHAMPAGNE GROWERS AND SHIPPERS.
Ship only the Finest Quality Extra Dry (Green Seal). LAUTS, WEGNER & CO. Sole Agents. Hongkong, 17th May, 1899. [1104]

FOR SALE.
CHAS. HEIDSIECK'S CHAMPAGNE, 1898 WHITE SEAL. \$38.00 per case of 1 dozen bottles. \$46.00 per case of 2 dozen bottles.
E. D. KRESSMANN & CO.'S BORDEAUX WINES. C. G. HILBERT & CO.'S BOTTLED ALE & STOUT. SIEMSEN & CO. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1899. [139]

BICYCLES.
JUST LANDED.
A Few First Class English Ladies and Gents BICYCLES.
WM. SCHMIDT & CO. Gunsmiths. Hongkong, 4th February, 1899. [1117]

PHOTOGRAPHY.
NEW FIRST-CLASS STUDIO.
MR. YERA has the pleasure to announce that, owing to the great increase in his business, he has in his Studio in Arsenal Street too small, and he has now opened in addition thereto a new one in Bonaparte Avenue, fitted with ALL THE NEWEST AND VERY BEST APPLIANCES.
Hongkong, 18th April, 1899. [1086]

COTTAM & CO.
FOR THE LATEST NOVELTIES IN GENTLEMEN'S HOSTERY.
BUCHANAN'S HOUSE OF COMMONS WHISKY AND BUCHANAN'S BLEND WHISKY. \$15.00 and \$18.00 per dozen. DANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have been appointed Sole Agents for these celebrated brands of Whiskies. FREE SAMPLES ON APPLICATION. Hongkong, 18th April, 1899. [1086]

PUBLIC COMPANIES

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.
THE FINAL DIVIDEND for the year 1898, at the rate of Sixty Cents per Share or Six per Cent. on the Capital of the Company, payable on the 15th May, 1899, at the Bank of China, Hongkong, on Warrants to be obtained from the undersigned. Local Shareholders are requested to apply at the Company's Office for their Warrants. The Dividend is also payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, Shanghai, on presentation of Warrants thereon and after the same date.
A. H. MANCINI, Secretary. Hongkong, 9th May, 1899. [1298]

THE YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION, LIMITED.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
A DIVIDEND at the rate of Ten per cent. being Six Dollars per share on the Paid-up Capital of the above Association, has been declared PAYABLE at the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA, or the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on and after this date to Shareholders of record on the 15th April, 1899. By Order of the Board of Directors, W. S. JACKSON, Secretary. Shanghai, 16th April, 1899. [1290]

OLIVERS FREEHOLD MINES, LIMITED.
NOTICE is hereby given that a CALL of \$2.00 per Share has been made in respect of the "B" Shares in the above named Company, and that such CALL is PAYABLE to the General Managers, on the 5th day of July next, at the Office of the Company, 38 and 40, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG.
JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers. Hongkong, 4th May, 1899. [1249]

THE CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN AND MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE.
A CERTIFICATE for 100 Shares numbered 16972/17071 standing in the Register of this Company in the name of Miss BURNETT, has been found to be a duplicate Certificate for the said 100 Shares will be issued one month hence, and that the Original Certificate is lost and void. SIBSWAN, TOMES & CO. General Managers. Hongkong, 4th May, 1899. [1250]

NOTICE.
THE CERTIFICATES for 4 Shares numbered 8159/8163, 8159/8163, 8159/8163, 8159/8163, standing in the Register of this Company in the name of Miss BURNETT, have been found to be a duplicate Certificate for the said 4 Shares will be issued one month hence, and that the Original Certificate is lost and void. SIBSWAN, TOMES & CO. General Managers. Hongkong, 4th May, 1899. [1250]

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EXTRA SPECIAL, \$14 per doz.
SPECIAL, \$12 do.
HAS A WORLD-WIDE POPULARITY.
Sole Agents H. PRICE & Co. WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS, 12, QUEEN'S ROAD.

BISMARCK & CO.
SHIP CHANDLERS, PROVISION, and GENERAL MERCHANTS, have for sale Palms of all kinds, Engine Oil, English and Japanese Coal, etc. Just received a shipment of Russian hemp, tarred ropes 1" to 5". Mott & Chandon dry Champagne in pints and quarts, \$30 per case; also Louis Roederer extra dry Champagne, pints and quarts, \$42 per case. Sole agents for Dewar & Co.'s Scotch Whisky and Lager Beer. [1103]

UNITED ASBESTOS ORIENTAL AGENCY (LIMITED).
SOLE AGENTS IN HONGKONG, CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.
FOR THE UNITED ASBESTOS COMPANY, LTD., LONDON.
CONTRACTORS TO H. M. GOVERNMENT.
Best Quality of ASBESTOS GOODS AND PACKINGS.
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Superintendent THOS. SKINNER. DODWELL & CO., LIMITED, General Agents.

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THE PHARMACY, 23 QUEEN'S ROAD. (OPPOSITE THE HONGKONG HOTEL).
FLETCHER'S COMPOUND COUGH BALSAM.
This well-known preparation is especially recommended for its demulcent and expectorant qualities.
SOLE AGENTS FOR TANSAN WATER.

CHAMPAGNES.
B & E PERRIER, DOMMINE & CO., C. H. DUBOIS & CO., LEROY & CO., Carte d'Or, LANSON PERE & FILS, PIPER HEIDSIECK, Gold foil, DOYEN & CO. (very dry), KRUG & CO. Private Cuvée, BOLLINGER & CO. Extra Quality, LOUIS ROEDERER, Grand vin Sec, POMMEY & GLENO, CHERMAN LAURANCE, SAUMUR, LOUIS REHAU (white seal), DUC DE VENDOME (cup).
SOLE AGENTS, CALDECK, MACGREGOR & CO. WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS. [1033]

CUTLER, PALMER & CO.
Have been Shippers to CHINA for nearly 75 years. Their Brands are favorably known all over the World.
AI QUALITY COGNAC. Distinguished by 4 Stars on the label. Price \$22.50 per 1 dozen bottles.
VERY GOOD COGNAC. Somewhat younger than the above. Distinguished by 2 Stars on the label. Price \$16.75 per 1 dozen bottles.
"PALL MALL" WHISKY. Eleven years old, very fine quality. Each bottle bears an analyst's certificate. The quality is guaranteed. Price \$20.00 per 1 dozen bottles.
C. P. & CO.'S OWN SPECIAL BLEND SCOTCH WHISKY. In Patented Bottles. Price \$10.75 per 1 dozen bottles.
CHAMPAGNE BRUT. A Natural, i.e., a Brut, Sparkling Wine, of the Vintage 1899, particularly suitable to the debilitated. The price is but \$25.50 per one doz. quart bottles.
Agents—STRASSEN & Co. Hongkong. [40]

INVALIDS' PORT.
This Wine is old, soft, and delicate. We strongly recommend it. Analyzed and Certified by Professor Cassal. Price \$20.00 per 1 dozen bottles.
DOURO PORT. This is a fine quality Wine of exceptionally good value. Price \$14.25 per 1 dozen bottles.
SHERRIES. AMOROSO. The Best Malmsey shipping. Price \$20.00 per 1 dozen bottles.
LA TORRE. Price \$16.75 per 1 dozen bottles. Pure and natural Wines; a tonic.
CLARETS in Quarts and Pints.
LIQUEUR. BENEDICTINE, D.O.M. Price \$39.75 per 1 dozen bottles.

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.
DAKIN'S ANISEED AND LICORICE COUGH BALSAM. For the Relief of all CATARRHAL COMPLAINTS, such as COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, and SORENESS of the CHEST. Price 50 CENTS and \$1.
CRUICKSHANK'S COUGH BALSAM. For Coughs, COLDS, HOARSENESS, INFLUENZA, ASTHMA, CONSUMPTION, Whooping Cough, BRONCHITIS, and all Diseases of the CHEST and LUNGS. Patch \$1 per Bottle.
VICTORIA DISPENSARY, QUEEN'S ROAD. [1032]

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A First Class Hotel in every respect. Elegantly Furnished Reading, Music, and Smoking Rooms. Dining Accommodation for 250 persons. Hydraulic Elevators to every floor. Cuisine of the best. Hot and Cold Water throughout. Wines and Groceries imported specially from Europe and America. Electric Lighting in the Billiard Rooms. Wines, &c., cooled by Refrigerator. All Hotel Linen washed on the premises by Machinery. Bedroom Accommodation—132 rooms. Fire Extinguishing Machine on every floor. CHARGES MODERATE. [143]

PEAK HOTEL AND CRAIGIEBURN.
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